

July 15, 1967, shall be held and considered to have been a citizen of the United States at the time of his death.

Approved June 22, 1968.

Private Law 90-264

June 27, 1968
[H. R. 17320]

AN ACT

To authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to grant an easement over certain lands to the Saint Louis-San Francisco Railway Company.

Saint Louis-San
Francisco Rail-
way Co.
Conveyance.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That, notwithstanding any other provision of law, the Secretary of Agriculture is authorized, upon such terms as he may deem advisable, to grant, and to convey by proper instrument, a perpetual easement to the Saint Louis-San Francisco Railway Company, its successors and assigns, in, upon, across, and over national forest lands and other lands under the jurisdiction of the Department of Agriculture for the construction, maintenance, and operation of a railway line between a point approximately one and seventy-five one-hundredths miles north of Keysville, Crawford County, Missouri, to a point at or near Buick, Iron County, Missouri, and for any related purpose deemed appropriate by the Secretary. Such easement (1) shall be granted only upon a finding by the Secretary that it will not be incompatible with the public interest, (2) shall not include any more land than is reasonably necessary for the purpose for which granted, (3) shall include provisions for payment of adequate compensation, and (4) may include a right to use from the subject lands materials and products for the construction and maintenance of authorized improvements thereon upon the payment of adequate compensation therefor.

SEC. 2. All or any part of such easement may be annulled or forfeited by declaration of the Secretary for failure to comply with the terms of the grant or for nonuse for a period of two consecutive years or abandonment of rights granted under authority hereof.

Approved June 27, 1968.

Private Law 90-265

June 28, 1968
[H. R. 4961]

AN ACT

For the relief of Donald E. Crichton.

Donald E.
Crichton.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That Donald E. Crichton, United States Air Force, retired (AF 17179390), is relieved of liability to the United States in the amount of \$1,550.12, representing overpayments resulting from an administrative error, of his pay and allowances as a member of the Air Force. In the audit and settlement of the accounts of any certifying or disbursing officer of the United States, credit shall be given for amounts for which liability is relieved by this section.

SEC. 2. (a) The Secretary of the Treasury is authorized and directed to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to Donald E. Crichton an amount equal to the aggregate of the amounts paid by him, or withheld from sums otherwise due him, with respect to the indebtedness to the United States specified in the first section of this Act.

(b) No part of the amount appropriated in subsection (a) of this section in excess of 10 per centum thereof shall be paid or delivered to or received by any agent or attorney on account of services rendered in connection with this claim, and the same shall be unlawful, any contract to the contrary notwithstanding. Any person violating the provisions of this subsection shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not exceeding \$1,000.

Approved June 28, 1968.

Private Law 90-266

AN ACT

For the relief of Claud Ferguson.

June 28, 1968
[H. R. 6305]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That Claud Ferguson, 214472, United States Marine Corps, retired, is relieved of liability to the United States in the amount of \$3,205.78, representing an overpayment of retainer pay and retired pay in the period beginning September 1, 1954, and ending August 31, 1963, as a result of an administrative error. In the audit and settlement of the accounts of any certifying or disbursing officer of the United States, credit shall be given for amounts for which liability is relieved by this Act.

Claud Ferguson.

SEC. 2. The Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized and directed to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the said Claud Ferguson an amount equal to the aggregate of the amounts paid by him, or withheld from sums otherwise due him, with respect to the liability of the United States specified in the first section of this Act. No part of the amount appropriated in this section shall be paid or delivered to or received by any agent or attorney on account of services rendered in connection with this claim, and the same shall be unlawful, any contract to the contrary notwithstanding. Any person violating the provisions of this Act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not exceeding \$1,000.

Approved June 28, 1968.

Private Law 90-267

AN ACT

For the relief of Lester W. Hein and Sadie Hein.

June 28, 1968
[H. R. 6890]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized and directed to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to Lester W. Hein and Sadie Hein, of Independence, Missouri, the sum of \$4,510.39. The payment of such sum shall be in full satisfaction of all claims of the said Lester W. Hein and Sadie Hein against the United States for compensation for damages sustained by them when, on August 7, 1960, while returning from annual field training, a five-ton federally owned wrecker assigned to the One Hundred Tenth Engineer Battalion of the Missouri Army National Guard, Kansas City, Missouri, crashed into a store owned by the said Lester W. Hein and Sadie Hein: *Provided,* That no part of the amount appropriated in this Act in excess of 10 per centum thereof shall be paid or delivered to or received by any agent or attorney on account of services rendered in connection with this

Lester W. and
Sadie Hein.